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SUBJECT: SURVEY OF IMPORT ORDERS AND PAYMENTS

1. AN APRIL 1977 SURVEY OF PRIVATE IMPORTS CONDUCTED BY THE NEW ZEALAND DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS SHOWS ORDERS PLACED BY SURVEYED FIRMS (EXCEPT MINERAL FUEL FIRMS) TOTALLED \$485 MILLION FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED APRIL 1977, 20.1 PERCENT HIGHER THAN THE CORRESPONDING VALUE FOR THE SAME PERIOD IN 1976. FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 1977 THE VAULE OF SURVEYED ORDERS BY FIRMS WAS \$86 MILLION,

15.3 PERCENT GREATER THAN THE ORDERS PLACED IN APRIL 1976. THE SURVEY COVERED FIRMS ESTIMATED TO REPRESENT JUST OVER 47 PERCENT OF TOTAL PAYMENTS DURING APRIL 1977(. (VS 51 PERCENT FOR APRIL 1976), (ALL FIGURES IN UNCLASSIFIED

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NEW ZEALAND DOLLARS).

2. FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED APRIL 1977 OVERSEAS ORDERS

BY MINERAL FUEL FIRMS WERE VALUED AT \$338.8 MILLION, 41.7 PERCENT HIGHER THAN FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED APRIL 1976. THE VALUE OF MINERAL FUEL ORDERS FOR APRIL WAS

\$79.4 MILLION.

3. ON THE BASIS OF THIS SURVEY, PRIVATE IMPORT PAYMENTS FOR THE 12 MONTHS ENDEING OCTOBER 1977 ARE ESTIMATED AS LIKELY TO REACH NZ\$3,077 MILLION, AN INCREASE OF 13.6 PERCENT OVER ACTUAL PAYMENTS OF \$1,708 MILLION FOR THE 12 MONTHS ENDED OCTOBER 1976. PRIVATE IMPORT PAYMENTS FOR THE SIX MONTHS TO OCTOBER 1977 ARE ESTIMATED TO AVERAGE \$267 MILLION A MONTH FROM MAY TO JULY 1977 AND \$258 MILLION A MONTH FROM AUGUST TO OCTOBER 1977. CORRESPONDING AVERAGES OF ACTUAL PAYMENTS A YEAR EARLIER WERE \$236 MILLION AND \$245 MILLION RESPECTIVELY.
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